# Fiscal Year 2021 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Budget Review

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## **Executive Summary**

### Fiscal Year 2021 Budget

- > To date balanced with no major issues identified
  - ✓ Salaries and Expenditures trending below budget forecast
  - ✓ Overall revenues tracking ahead of budget projections
- Unrestricted General Gov't Aid and Chapter 70 finalized
  - ✓ State budget numbers cut UGGA by \$40,809 and Ch. 70 by \$135,612

#### Fiscal Year 2020 Free Cash Certification

- Certified on September 16<sup>th</sup>
  - General Fund \$2,456,178
  - Enterprise Fund \$457,054

## Assessor's Office - Quarter 3 Update

## General Updates

- First MVE commitment issued in January in the amount of \$2.2m
- February 1<sup>st</sup> cut-off for abatement applications
  - ✓ 56 Real Estate applications received
  - ✓ 3 Personal Property applications received
- Fiscal Year 20 residential ATB cases settled without appearing before Appellate Tax Board

## Staffing Update

➤ Assistant Assessor started on April 6th – Department now fully staffed

## Treasurer's Office - Quarter 3 Update

## Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)

- > Aitken School Addition/AC \$9,708,000
  - ✓ Renewal note is due in May
  - ✓ Updated financials for Financial Advisor in anticipation of rolling note in May
  - ✓ Plan is to go long term for the two projects in September
- Anticipate borrowing in FY 22 for Senior Center Phase II and South End Fire Station

## Collector's Office - Quarter 3 Update

### FY 21 Actual Real Estate and Personal Property Bills

- Q3 payments were due on February 1<sup>st</sup>
- ➤ Collections were normal despite Town Hall's closure
- > Staff worked with taxpayers via phone and email to assist with payment options

### Municipal Lien Certificates

Collector's office issued 174 during the quarter

## FY 2021 Revenue Summary

#### Real Estate

- > Commitment \$42,202,976
- > YTD Receipts \$32,365,242
- ➤ Collection Rate 76.7%
- ➤ On Target

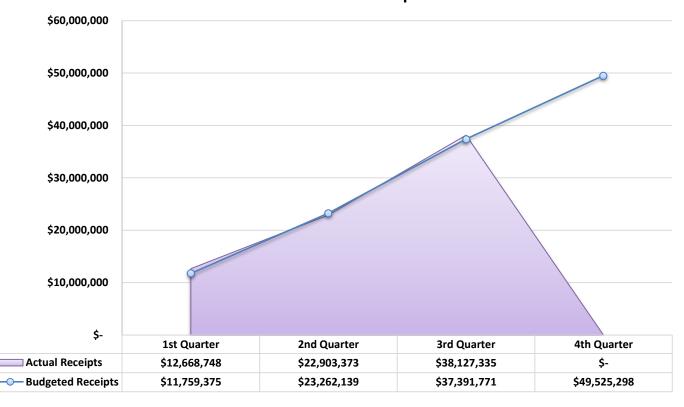
### Personal Property

- ➤ Commitment \$3,624,522
- > YTD Receipts \$2,666,133
- ➤ Collection Rate 73.6%
- On Target

#### Motor Vehicle Excise

- ➤ Commitment \$2,600,000
- > YTD Receipts \$2,333,512
- ➤ Collection Rate 89.8%
- ➤ Above Target

#### **Fiscal Year 2021 Receipts**



## FY 2021 Revenue Summary - Continued

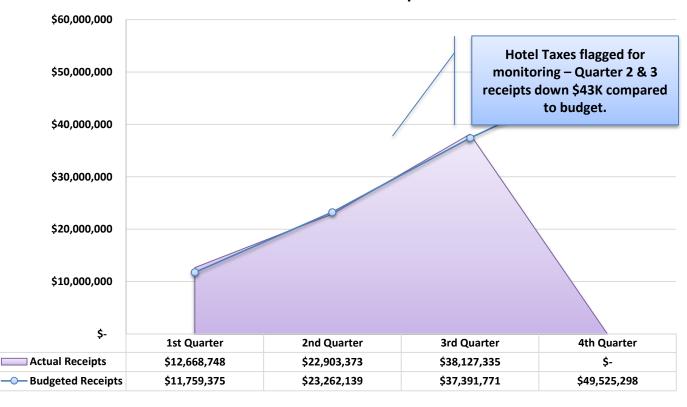
#### Meals Tax

- > Commitment \$475,000 (budgeted 75%)
- ➤ YTD Receipts \$378,195
- ➤ Collection Rate 79.6%
- ➤ Above Target

#### Hotel Tax

- Commitment \$620,000 (budgeted 80%)
- > YTD Receipts \$384,252
- ➤ Collection Rate 62%
- ➤ Below Target

#### **Fiscal Year 2021 Receipts**



## Tax Title - Quarter 3 Update

#### Real Estate Tax Title

- ▶ 48 Parcels currently in Tax Title
  - ✓ 14 new parcels added in December

### **Installment Agreements**

> 3 Active payment plans

#### **Tax Possessions**

- > Tax Title Attorney, Auctioneer, and Town have established a June 8th date
- > 36 parcels to be auctioned

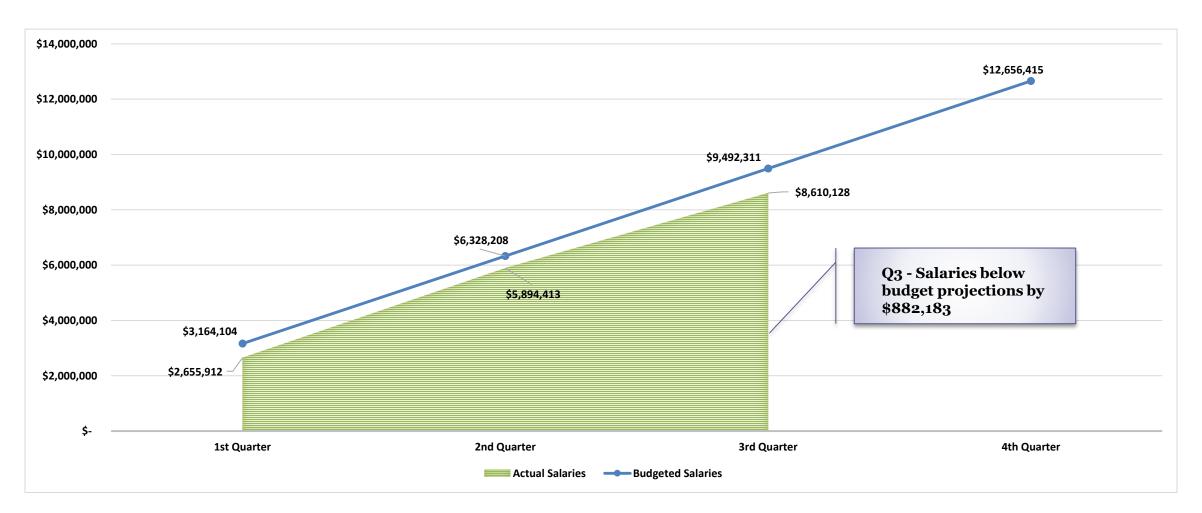
#### **Tax Foreclosure Cases**

- > 20+ cases moving through the Land Court
- > Tax Title Attorney Demand letters will be sent to 23 new accounts
- 12 new cases will be sent to Land Court

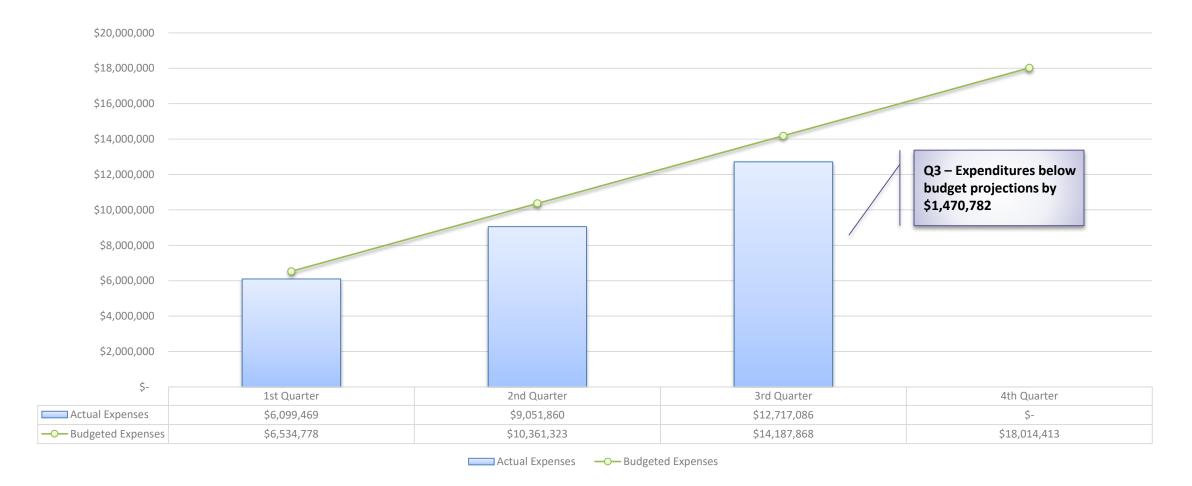
## FY 2021 Budget vs Actual Expenditures

	Budgeted FY 21							3rd Quarter Actuals					Available Budget					
	1	Salaries		Expenses		<b>Total</b>		Salaries	% Used	Expenses	% Used		Salaries		Expenses		<b>Total</b>	
General Government		1,529,034	\$	1,351,622	\$	2,880,656	\$	1 012 000	66.2% \$	778,000	57.6%	ø	516,954	\$	573,622	\$	1,090,576	
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General Government - Legal	]																	
	\$	-	\$	175,000	\$	175,000	\$	-	0.0% \$	48,599	27.8%	\$	-	\$	126,401	\$	126,401	
Public Safety	1																	
	\$	8,768,864	\$	1,002,763	\$	9,771,627	\$	5,931,371	67.6% \$	569,292	56.8%	\$	2,837,493	\$	433,471	\$	3,270,964	
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Education	」 \$	_	\$	1,282,689	\$	1,282,689	\$	_	0.0% \$	1,092,786	85.2%	\$	_	\$	189,903	\$	189,903	
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Other Environmental	]																	
	\$	54,445	\$	34,850	\$	89,295	\$	55,315	101.6% \$	23,992	68.8%	\$	(870)	\$	10,858	\$	9,988	
Human Services	1																	
	\$	430,203	\$	175,500	\$	605,703	\$	293,040	68.1% \$	69,521	39.6%	\$	137,163	\$	105,979	\$	243,141	
Culture and Recreation	1																	
Cuiture and Recreation	\$	852,508	\$	356,150	\$	1,208,658	\$	580,675	68.1% \$	223,323	62.7%	\$	271,833	\$	132,827	\$	404,660	
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Debt and Interest	<u> </u>		\$	2,072,178	\$	2,072,178	\$	_	0.0% \$	1,747,163	84.3%	\$		¢	325,015	\$	325,015	
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Other Fixed Costs	]																	
	\$	-	\$	11,029,306	\$	11,029,306	\$	-	0.0% \$	7,750,368	70.3%	\$	-	\$	3,278,938	\$	3,278,938	
Total Departmental Budget	\$	12,656,415	\$	18,014,413	\$	30,670,828	\$	8,610,128	68.0% \$	12,717,086	70.6%	\$	4,046,287	\$	5,297,327	\$	9,343,614	

# **Budgeted Salaries - Quarter 3**



# **Budgeted Expenses - Quarter 3**



# Questions

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